

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam,

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Farm, Stock and Crop.

Mr. Taylor Watkins, of this county, sold last week to Dole & Klink, of Buffalo, New York, 450 head of cattle that averaged 1,145 pounds at \$4.60 per hundred. The aggregate of the cattle was 514,550 pounds and the amount received for same was \$23,679.10.—Elizabethtown News.

Ex Congressman June Gayle, of Owenton, and others, since the Continental commenced trying to purchase the entire tobacco crop of the State, have purchased about 6,000,000 pounds, and paid from 18 to 20 cents per pound.—Blue Grass Clipper.

The high jump which burley tobacco has taken in the past eight weeks is resulting in the return of tobacco exported to foreign markets for sale. Burley at the present time averages about \$150 per hogshead, which is an increase of from \$60 to \$70 over the price formerly paid by foreign dealers.—Ex.

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DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

Held at Court House in Louisville, Kentucky, June 4th, 1904.

Court Chairman, A. O. Carter, called the Convention to order at 2 p. m., and after stating the object for which the convention was called announced that nominations for Temporary Chairmen were in order. H. C. Sullivan was chosen Temporary Chairman, and W. D. O'Neal, Jr., was chosen Temporary Secretary.

Upon motion, the temporary organization was made permanent.

A committee on resolutions was appointed by the Chairman as follows: Frank Johnson, James Q. Luckey, Dr. M. G. Watson, Dr. Fred D. Marcum, and D. C. O'Neal.

While the Committee was drafting the resolutions, the convention was entertained by speeches by J. H. Northup and others.

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KENTUCKY DAY.

JUNE 15TH.

The Kentucky Commission for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition decided to postpone Kentucky Day from June 2 to June 15, and active preparations to make the day one memorable in the history of the St. Louis World's Fair

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application.

Democratic Ticket.

For President in 1904:
JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER,
—
SEN. ARTHUR P. GORMAN.

Announcement.

We are authorized to announce
JAMES N. KEHOE
as a candidate for Representative in
Congress from the Ninth District of
Kentucky, subject to the action of the
Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
HARVEY JOBE JR.,
as a candidate for County Judge subject
to the action of the Democratic
Primary.

Prof. John P. Brooks, dean of the
Department of Civil Engineering
State College, has been noticed
by E. W. Lucas, Captain of
corps of United States engineers at
Memphis, Tenn., that upon his recom-
mendation the State College has been placed upon the accredited
list of schools of engineering in
the United States, and that students
having diplomas from the State College are entitled to promotion to junior grade of engineers
after one year's active service,
during which time the required
ability has been shown. This ruling
places the State College on equal
footing with the best engineering
schools in the country.

Keep it in mind
"BLACK MAMMY"
Better still, keep it on hand

On the seventy-ninth ballot,
Charles S. Deneen, of Chicago, was
nominated for Governor by the Illinois
Republican Convention, at
Springfield.

Everything is quiet at Hanging
Rock, O., and it is expected that
the militia will be withdrawn. Efforts
are being made to settle the
strike, but so far they have not
been successful.

Miss Alice Roosevelt visited the
Palace of Agriculture at the World's
Fair Friday and was much interested
in the Kentucky hemp and
tobacco exhibits, of which she
spoke in complimentary terms.

The anniversary of the birth of
Jefferson Davis was generally ob-
served throughout the South Friday
as memorial day by the Con-
federate veterans. Business was
suspended in many cities and the
graves of the dead heroes were
strewed with flowers and eulogies
were pronounced by orators.

An Ohio exchange speaks of a
man who always pays his local pa-
per two years in advance. As a re-
sult he has never been sick in his
life, never had corns on his toes or
toothache, his potatoes never rust,
the frost never kills his ears, his
babes never cry at night, his wife
never scolds and he succeeded in
serving three terms on the School
Board without being criticized.

There are rumors from the Far
East that a great battle is in pro-
gress at Port Arthur, but they are
not verified and the reports are
lacking in details. A Tokin dis-
patch says the Japanese have occu-
pied the first line of the fortifi-
cations outside of Port Arthur af-
ter a feeble resistance, and another
correspondent of another paper
says the Japanese have occupied
Kwan Tung heights, on which
they emplaced heavy artillery
dominating Port Arthur. There
are rumors, also unverified, of sev-
eral fighting on the Liao Tung peninsula.

Ayer's

Sometimes the hair is not
properly nourished. It suffers
for food, starves. Then it
falls out, turns prematurely gray. Ayer's Hair Vigor is a
hair food. It feeds, nourishes.

The hair stops falling, grows
long and heavy, and all dan-
druff disappears.

My hair was coming out terribly. I was
afraid to comb it. But Ayer's Hair
Vigor quickly stopped the falling, and also
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Mrs. E. G. K. Ward, Landis, N. J.

At home. J. C. Ayer Co.,
Lowell, Mass.

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Our Summer Clearance Sales have become a yearly event of such importance to economical buyers that many wait weeks and weeks for this occasion to take place.

It's really the Bargain Season of the year.

Most everything is reduced regardless of cost. The one purpose is to clean out stock for our Fall Goods—and a clean-out it must be. Our prices usually have the desired effect. We put them so low that you can't help but consider them.

If we quoted all the prices here it would fill the entire page, so we only tell you to come and judge our method of clearing stock.

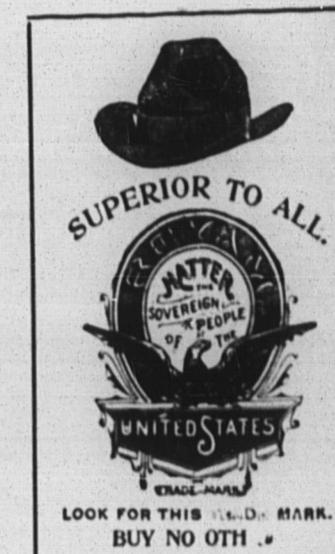
The saving you can make by buying here will more than pay your fare.

Valentine, Newcomb & Carder, Huntington, West Virginia.

Young Men's Fine Manila Hats

From \$1.25 to \$2.00

Come Early and Get Choice.



They will go like "Hot Cakes."

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Read D. Brown's ad.

Ice Cream Freezers at Sullivans.

Fresh rolls every day at the Louisa Bakery.

Sullivans for Oranges Bananas and fresh vegetables.

Alex. Lackey is able to be out after a few days illness.

See Shipman & Ragland's line of low cut shoes for men.

The infant son of Mrs. W. W. Mason has been quite sick.

Southern Germ an Millet Seed at Sullivans.

Two houses for rent. See G. V. Meek.

Rev. W. S. Gamboe, of Ashland, preached here Friday night.

White Mountain Freezer are the best at Sullivans.

Don't fail to see the stylish w hats at Mrs. Wm. Justice's this week.

Buy a set of boxing gloves and get fun and exercise. On sale at Conley's store.

For the next 15 days we will sell all our lace Curtains from 40c to 250 per pair. D. Brown & Co.

Try my New Steel Cut Coffee. The only place in town. W. N. Sullivan.

Thos. Luther, the photographer, is now doing business at his new gallery in lower Louisa.

FOR SALE—One cottage house, Good neighborhood, and in good repair. W. Remmelle.

The next Teachers examination will be held at Louisa June 17th and 18th. R. W. Holbrook, Sup't.

You can now have your watches, clocks and jewelry repaired at Conley's store in the best possible manner. Everything guaranteed.

J. P. Gartin's family has moved into the residence recently built by Dr. Burton in the Central addition to Louisa.

Fresh pies, layer cakes, jelly rolls, small cakes, of all kinds, bread and fresh rolls always on hand at the Louisa Bakery.

Conley has a new line of shirt waist sets in military, Japanese, and all late styles. Also stock collar pins. Call and see them.

Big Sandy river was up sufficiently a few days ago to take out timber, and several rafters reached market.

FOR SALE—One field of about 2 acres, suitable for building lots, adjoining streets and alleys, Louisa. W. Remmelle.

Mr. G. R. B. Chapman had a very severe attack of stomach trouble this week, but he is now better, we are glad to say. C. W. Richardson, D. D. S.

Valuable Handkerchief.

The following item is going the rounds of the press, and has called the attention of one of our citizens to the value of a highly prized relic which has been carefully kept in the family ever since the war:

"Walter Aldrich, the bibliographer of Providence, has in his possession a unique handkerchief, one yard square, made of silk of red body, with portraits of Davis, Beauregard, Semmes, Lee, Mason, Slidell, Morgan, Jackson and Johnson printed in black, encircled with wreaths of characteristic southern leaves, with ferns and the cotton plant on white ground. It is said to be the only one extant of the 12 ordered for the Confederate government in England by Judah P. Benjamin and was rescued when on his way to this country from the Alabama when she sank. It subsequently became the property of General Kirby Smith, but Mr. Aldrich now owns and has it framed and glazed and values it at \$1,000."

Mrs. Robt. Burchett, of Louisa, has one of the original twelve handkerchiefs described above. It is in almost perfect state of preservation, having but two breaks in it. The color is as bright as if new. It is a handsome piece of workmanship and the description given above is not in the least exaggerated.

Mrs. Burchett's father, Mr. S. W. Ratcliff, who was a Confederate soldier, paid \$100 for the handkerchief near the close of the war.

It has been in Mrs. Burchett's possession for several years.

Dr. Louis D. Jones, formerly of St. Louis, Mo., is now permanently located in Louisa, Ky. Dr. Jones holds a diploma from The Missouri Dental College, (Dental department of The Washington University) and is registered in Missouri, Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee.

Below is a copy of a letter which was voluntary given by Dr. C. W. Richardson, Professor of Prosthetic Dentistry, and Ass't. Supt. of the Infirmary, to Dr. L. D. Jones, while a student at The Mo. Dental College. I will again have to ask my friends to please come into my office by the way of the north entrance of the Arlington Hotel. The door at the south end of the hall has been locked, and then fastened good and tight with two inch screws—A word to the wise is sufficient.

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To whom it may concern:

Mr. L. D. Jones has been a member of my class and under my observation during the last year, and has made the highest average in my class and I can recommend him very highly to anyone requiring the services of a dentist.

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Alfalfa in Lawrence County.

W. T. Kane, one of our most intelligent and progressive farmers and live stock breeders, has fully demonstrated the adaptability and success of alfalfa for Lawrence county's poorest land. Yesterday he showed us a bunch of this great product, cut from a very poor piece of hill land, the elevation of which is 1168 feet. It grew on his farm near Fallsburg. This was the second cutting this year and it measured 36 inches in height. He had other samples twelve inches high which were from seed sown in the early part of last month.

Most of our farmers are familiar with the great results achieved throughout the west with alfalfa as a food for stock. No matter how dry the location, nor how poor the land, it seems, this grass flourishes and can scarcely be eradicated.

The only difficulty is in getting it "set."

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OUR 4th OF JULY

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Arrangements are under way for another Fourth of July celebration this year. We are not yet able to give particulars but can say that there will be a celebration—that it will be a larger and better one than we had last year. The arrangements are in the hands of efficient committees.

We would be glad to receive suggestions from any one as to features that it is believed would prove acceptable. Let the people throughout the county say what will suit them best. Address communications to Box 52, Louisa, Ky. COM.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Announcement.

To the voters of Lawrence county: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence county, to be voted for at the November election, 1905, subject to the action of the Democratic party. What is your interest is my interest and so make this announcement by the solicitations of my many friends from all parts of the county, and in so doing I feel that I am better qualified to fill the very responsible position of County Judge in the future than in the past, as I have a good library of law books since I went out of office and have made it a business to study them.

In making this announcement I am not waging war on any one. I am simply in the hands of the voters and tax-payers of Lawrence county and what is their will shall be my good pleasure, and if given the nomination I shall try to be elected; and if elected will know no one in the discharge of my official duty, rich or poor, black or white, bond or free.

Being under many and lasting obligation to the voters of Lawrence county for what they have done for me in the past, I remain JOHN H. THOMPSON.

All Bodies Recovered.

Joseph Davidson Harkins and John Calvin Harkins, of Prestonsburg, are among the graduates in the academic department of Center College at Danville.

Jas. M. Rice, a former citizen of Cattlettsburg, after spending a couple of years on his farm near White's Creek, is moving back to his hide side home on Railroad street. Ashland Independent.

A prominent railroad official says he heard that a deal would be closed soon by which the control of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Road would pass to the Pere Marquette or the Boston people who own that property. The Pere Marquette, which reaches Toledo, where it connects with the C. H. and D., has been reaching out somewhat lately, and has made trackage contracts with Vanderbilt lines for an entrance to Chicago and also to Buffalo.

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Therefore, for the purpose of inducing the said Railway Company to put in said concrete pavement, the City Council of the City of Louisa, does ordain and enact the following:

SECTION 1. Said Lexington & Big Sandy Railway Company, its licensees or successors is hereby granted the right and privilege of building, making and maintaining a concrete pavement or walk sixteen (16) feet wide extending from the property line of lot No. 81 next to Jefferson street on all, or any part of Jefferson street, between Main and Madison streets, and said Company, its licensees or successors is hereby authorized to build and maintain said pavement or walk, not to exceed 15 inches higher than the present line of railroad track between Main and Madison streets and the said pavement or walk is to be furnished by the Railway Company with suitable steps or incline at each end of same, to enable the free use of same as pavement or sidewalk, and the said Railway Company, its licensees or successors is hereby granted the right to raise the pavement on the portion of the lot known as "Depot Lot" on Madison street, so as the same not more than 12 inches higher than its present grade, and shall either make easy steps or incline to approach said pavement after being raised.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall be in force from and after the publication thereof.

Williamson, W. Va., June 6.—Another man has been found dead with every indication pointing to murder. Last Thursday night Romulus Swader left home between sundown and dark with the intention of going to see a doctor. He did not return Friday night and his relatives and other parties about town searched for him all day Friday without finding any trace of him whatever. Saturday morning he was found in the river at the ford in the east end of town. A coroner's jury was summoned and an inquest held. Dr. Ben Harries made an examination of the body and stated that the man did not come to death by drowning. It was the opinion of the physician and it is generally believed that the man was choked to death and thrown in the river. Swader was an inquest held.

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The city has been receiving so

little revenue from the marshal's office lately that a motion was made to abolish the salary, except \$15 per month for lighting and cleaning the street lights.

Other than this he is to receive the fees from the office and the usual per cent for collecting taxes.

The vote stood 3 to 3, the Mayor casting the deciding vote.

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There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it — heart disease, failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease, if kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs and the body break down and waste away, kill by cold.

Bleeding troubles most always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root**, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It restores the ability to hold urine and sooths pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant sense of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is evident. It stands the highest for wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

Some persons are anxious to take and sold all drugs in fifty-cent and one dollar sized bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both home of Swamp-Root sent free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N.Y. When writing mention this generous offer in this paper.

West Virginia Republicans.

Washington, May 30.—There is little attempt among West Virginians to conceal the bad split in their ranks. The fight between Dawson and Teter for the Republican nomination for Governor or State Convention at Wheeling early in July promises to wind up in a bout by the Teter faction,

which from present indications will be defeated and the tax reformer, Dawson, who is opposed by the miners and railroads, will be nominated.

Representative Hughes, of the Fifth West Virginia district, was in Washington for a few hours and shares with his fellow-Republicans the general feeling of despondency over the situation.

"Unless there is a change," said Mr. Hughes to-day, "our party promises to go into the coming election badly handicapped through factional difference.

"There must be a change for the better or we will lose the coming election."

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Republican Preacher on Negroes.

Morgantown, W. Va., June 1.—Dr. M. F. Compton, of the M. E. Church, electrified his congregation after preaching about the election of evils and the connection of the negro with them by saying that the North had freed the negro and given him the ballot, but the time is to come when it will take the ballot away from him.

"I expected to be cheered for that statement," he said, and then the cheering came in a tumult. He was preaching to the veterans, who had been escorted to the church by the Junior Order. "I am a republican, but I have seen too much of the negro in politics. He is demoralizing to himself and the whites. All day on election day I saw drunken negroes associating with white men and I saw one of them run into an old, gray-haired woman and almost knock her down."

The sermon caused a sensation. The church was crowded and hundreds had to be turned away.

This is the time of year when you need something to invigorate your system and purify your blood. Get a bottle of pure Sarsaparilla at A. M. Hughes' drug store. There are many kinds of socalled sarsaparilla blood-purifiers, but they are not all good. Be sure to get the unadulterated.

OBITUARY.

Cecilia Bellomy, wife of William S. Bellomy, of Casper, Ky., departed this life May 25th 1914, at the age of 37 years and 22 days. She was the daughter of Ulrich and Elizabeth Miller. She was married to William S. Bellomy September 15, 1886. They lived quietly and happily together having a comfortable and happy home which was blessed with five bright girls, the oldest now being 16 years of age and the youngest 2. She trained her children right, they being her constant care. She leaves with husband and daughters a father and mother, four brothers, and three sisters and a host of friends who mourn their loss in her death. She was a devoted Christian having joined the Methodist Protestant Church in her youth. She embraced the religion of our Lord Jesus Christ about 10 years ago and her life has been a written epistle since. She was taken sick with typhoid fever on the 2nd day of last March which seemed to baffle the skill of our best doctors.

She patiently endured her affliction for nearly three months and was ready for the summons she spoke of it as taking a journey, notwithstanding she suffered intensely most of the time. Last Thursday, May 25th, surrounded by father, mother, two brothers and one sister, her immediate family and a number of friends, her spirit passed quietly away.

We extend our sympathy to her bereaved family, especially the husband and children.

Weep not for her for our loss is her eternal gain. She is home at last on heavenly mountains having heard the "Come and enter in." Saved by life's fair flowing fountain saved from earthly pain and sin.

W. H. Jayne, the Flat Gap merchant, who was recently tried in the Johnson County Court and sent to the insane asylum at Lexington, and brought back, was in Ashland a few days ago enroute for Arkansas to join his father, who resides somewhere in that state. Mr. Jayne has been engaged in business at Flat Gap for several years. At first he prospered and built up a good trade, but about six months ago his mind began to

fail, and although he is perfectly harmless, yet it is evident his mind is by no means right. His store is in charge of Ben F. Salyer.

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THOMAS.

Plenty of rain and a small tide in John's creek.

Farming is prosperous at this place.

The Quarterly meeting was held at Banion Saturday and Sunday. A good attendance and a very interesting sermon by Rev. Tyree.

On Saturday of the meeting a grand wedding came off at church. The contracting parties were W. C. Blackburn and O. E. Runyon. They received the congratulations of their many friends.

"Senator Smoot" is visiting at his father's, David Roop.

Roland Hunt and Miss Alice Collingsworth spent last Sunday evening with Misses Nettle, Alice and Hester Seal.

Mrs. Ollie Jackson called on her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lizzie Hunt, who has been very sick with typhoid fever, but who, we are glad to report, is improving.

Miss Nettie Seal was calling on friends Monday.

William Sherman died last night after a protracted illness.

Wm. Seal, Jr., and Miss Gracie Blackburn were united in holy matrimony at Williamson, W. Va. They are both of Gulnare, Ky., and their many friends wish them long, happy and useful life.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Weiler and a company of young people from Pikeville visited at Rev. M. Bevins Sunday.

The Misses Cassady, of Eden, are visiting their uncle, Mr. Taylor.

Miss Angie Maynard, of Cline, returned home yesterday after a two week's visit to her sister, Mrs. Jeff Collinsworth.

John Sellards and wife visited his mother, Mrs. Enamale Collinsworth, a few days ago.

Madam rumor says there is going to be more weddings soon. Luck to them all. Jim.

HEALTHY MOTHERS.

Mothers should always keep in good bodily health. They owe it to their children. Yet it is unusual sight to see a mother, with babe in arms, coughing violently and exhibiting all the symptoms of a consumptive tendency. And why should this dangerous condition exist, dangerous alike to mother and child, when Dr. Bache's German Syrup would put a stop to it at once? No mother should be without this old and tried remedy in the house—for it is timely use will promptly cure any lung, throat or bronchial trouble in herself or her children. The worst cough or cold can be speedily cured by German Syrup; so no hoarseness and congestion of the bronchial tubes. It makes expectoration easy, and gives instant relief and refreshing rest to the cough-tacked consumptive.

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This week Sheriff G. W. Hatfield, Mayor Mont. White and Clerks Damon and Bronson were in Logan county to close a lease on several hundred acres of valuable coal land situated on Copperas Mine, Mingus Republican.

Williamson, W. Va., June 6.—A force of surveyors is on Ben Creek near Warrenton, and it is said that they are surveying a route for the Norfolk & Western to cut off the Cheapeake & Ohio on the Guyan river.—Ex.

Washington, June 3.—Under readjustments these changes in salaries of Kentucky postmasters are announced to day: Increase Hodgesville, Morhead and Pikeville, \$1,000 to 1,100. Decrease Junction City, \$1,100 to 1,000.

The schedule on the C. & O. railroad will change in this month, as was stated some time ago, and the date has been fixed at June 26th. Two new World's Fair trains will be placed in service and there will be several changes in the time of the local trains on the main line.

Five coach loads of West Point cadets passed through Coal Grove on an N. & W. special, Tuesday evening, bound for St. Louis to take part in the World's Fair. They presented a fine picture in their uniforms, trimmed in gold, as they waved their cap and handkerchiefs.

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